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Applicants: WEISS et al.

Serial No.: 09/807,443

Filed: April 25, 2001

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF ADVISING BUYERS HOW MUCH TO
PAY FOR GOODS AND SERVICES BASED ON DEMOGRAPHICS

Art Unit: PCT Legal Office

PCT Petitions Attorney: Richard M. Ross

LETTER TO PCT PETITIONS ATTORNEY RICHARD M. ROSS

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

August 21, 2001

Dear Mr. Richard M. Ross:

The Applicants in the above-referenced case request that you retrieve file serial no. 09/807,443 and file serial no. 09/807,444, filed on April 25, 2001.

Applicant serial no. 09/807,444 deals with a Petition to Revive an abandoned PCT application. Application no. 09/807,443 deals with entry of said PCT application into the U.S. national stage.

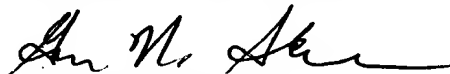
As evidenced by the attached copies of stamped-received post cards for 09/807,443 and 09/807,444, as well as the attached letter dated April 25, 2001, it was the Applicants intent to revive the abandoned PCT application as well as enter into the U.S. national stage of prosecution. Apparently, the petition to Revive and the entry into the national stage application were bifurcated upon arrival to your office. Therefore, resulting in the rejection of the Petition to Revive in serial no.

09/807,444 due to rejection of the application credit card number and failure to grant an application date in 09/807,443 due to failure to supply a specification.

It is respectfully requested that application serial no. 09/807,443 and 09/807,444 be reviewed by you to determine and advise Applicants as to the proper procedure for revival of the abandoned PCT application and entry into the national stage.

If you wish to contact the undersigned attorney, please call me at (703) 312-6675.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. N. Stevens", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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Patent ☒ Trademark ☐ 374.37564A00

Serial No. PCT/US99/22904 Filed April 25, 2001

Applicant(s) WEISS et al **REC'D PCT/PTO 25 APR 2001**

Papers filed herewith on April 25, 2001

☒ Fees \$ 685.00

☒ New Application

☐ Amendment

☐ Notice of Appeal

☐ Appeal Brief

☒ Other Copy of orig. App. (44 pgs.); ~~Power of~~ ^{DECLARATIONS AND} Power of

☐ Assignment

☐ Letter to Draftsman

☐ Priority Documents

☐ Petition for Ext. of Time

☐ Sheets of Formal Drawings

Attorney; Art. 19 Amd. w/97 claims; Art. 34 Amd.; 363
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Sir:

Please find enclosed the following items intended to revive an unintentionally abandoned PCT application number PCT/US 99/22904.

1. Credit card payment form for \$685.00 for the petition to revive unintentionally an abandoned PCT application and late filing of the Oath and Declaration.
2. PCT application as originally filed.
3. Revised PCT application.
4. Fee transmittal form for the revival of the PTC application.
5. Petitioner for revival of international application for patent designating the U.S. abandoned unintentionally under 37 CFR 1.137 (b).
6. Signed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
7. All PCT related correspondence.
8. Article 34 amendment.
9. 363 in formal drawings.
10. Credit card payment form for \$1,248.00 for entry into the U.S. national stage.
11. Utility patent application transmittal form.
12. Fee transmittal form.
13. Preliminary amendment.
14. 363 pages of formal drawings.

It is respectfully requested that this petition to revive the international application for patent be approved.

Sincerely,



George N. Stevens
Registration No. 36,938

FEE TRANSMITTAL

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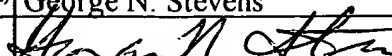
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Application Number	New Application
Filing Date	April 25, 2001
First Named Inventor	Lawrence D. WEISS
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